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Russia is very quiet about its doings in the far east, but she is getting what she wants from China all the same.

EUROPEAN potentates must remember that the president of the United States does not declare war. Congress alone has that power.

MRS. ELLEN M. HENROTIN, president of the General Federation of Women's clubs, tells the president to "lay on." Therefore, let the battle begin.

ALL Republicans should stand by the nominees of the Republican city and precinct conventions and support them on tomorrow and vote for them.

It is very probable that the American and Spanish fleets will meet in the Spanish Main in battle array during the next ten days. Here's good luck to the American fleet.

A REPUBLICAN who votes against Captain J. R. Hudson, the Republican nominee for mayor, who is an exceptionally good man, votes against the administration, votes against the party and should ask no favors from the party in the future.

It is gratifying to know, as the New Mexican's special correspondent informs this journal, that the dispatch that appeared recently in the Denver News dated Springfield, N. M., and expressing the dissatisfaction of the citizens of that burg with President McKinley, is found to be untrue. This simplifies the situation very much and is good for the administration and its plans, and now, let us feel good and be joyful.

The yellow journals of the country and the free silver press take every opportunity to place the conduct of President McKinley during the present crisis in a false light before the people of the country. But as the people are too wide awake and know too much, the course of these papers does the president no particular harm. It may be annoying and displeasing, but it can not and does not hurt much.

THE Citizens' party was gotten up to accommodate some disgruntled Republicans who want to vote against the Republican ticket and the Republican administration, but as they want office in the future, they don't want to vote the straight Democratic ticket. The Democrats have agreed to take them in and help them out. The Democrats know what they are doing, and so does the Republican party.

In addition to being a senator of the United States and a rich silver mine owner, Senator Stewart also runs a free silver paper called the Silver Knight-Watchman. In a recent issue this strong free silver paper calls attention to the fact that the February exports of the United States were over \$93,000,000 in value, but omits to say that this is the largest February exportation ever known despite the claim that there could be no prosperity to our producers or our commerce without the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

## Cartwright for Treasurer.

Samuel G. Cartwright, Republican nominee for city treasurer, is a young business man well and favorably known throughout the community. He has made a first-class record in the office of treasurer; he has been tried and found the proper man in the right place. His election seems to be a foregone conclusion and will be a well deserved compliment.

## M. Ortiz for Clerk.

Marcelino Ortiz is a native of this country, a young man of education, conversant with the English and Spanish language. He is fully competent for the position of city clerk, for which he has been nominated by the Republicans and is certainly a better candidate for the position than his opponent on the Citizens ticket. He should be loyally supported on tomorrow and should be elected.

## A Word to Republicans.

Certainly every man who holds a federal appointment in this city and is a voter here, should loyally support the Republican city ticket and should not go off after any of the false gods on the Citizens ticket. The Republican city ticket is all right, consists of good men and the best interests of the city demand its success. Should it go out that the Republican city ticket is defeated at this city election, certain enterprises now under way and that will prove of great benefit to the city, will be seriously injured and may be kept away entirely. Every Republican should vote the Republican city ticket straight.

## The Fountain Murder Will Out.

Albert J. Fountain, a prominent citizen, Republican and lawyer of southern New Mexico, disappeared on February 1, 1896, as did his little son, 12 years of age. When last seen they were on their way from Lincoln, where Colonel Fountain had attended court, to Las Cruces, their home, and near the White Sands between the Tularosa and Organ mountains. From the moment of their disappearance it was believed that a most dastardly and foul crime had been committed, that Colonel Fountain and his innocent little son had been assassinated and their bodies hidden in some of the canons or arroyos in that section of country. For two years and more patiently and with secrecy and energy has this matter been investigated. The territory, the county of Dona Ana, many private citizens and the Masonic fraternity have spent much time and money to unravel this fearful mystery. The principal work naturally fell to the chief peace officer of the section and Sheriff Pat F. Garrett, of Dona Ana county, has been patiently, but energetically and sagaciously to work in the same direction. As a dispatch in another column of this paper shows, the recent grand jury in Dona Ana county has had the case before it and upon the evidence adduced has indicted several men in connection or charged with the murder of Colonel Fountain and son.

The law officers of the territory will do their duty in this fearlessly and fairly. The law should be vindicated, justice should be done and the perpetrators of this foul deed punished. Let no guilty man escape and do not harm a hair on the head of an innocent man.

## J. R. Hudson for Mayor.

Captain J. R. Hudson, Republican candidate for mayor, has been a resident of Santa Fe for about 18 years. He is a good Republican and fully and unequivocally entitled to the vote of every Republican on tomorrow. He is a friend of law and order and in favor of clean and well lighted streets and other city improvements. In November, 1896, the people of this county and city showed their confidence in him by electing him county assessor by the largest majority on the ticket. He has shown by his official conduct that he deserves such confidence and that the good opinion the voters of this city and county placed in him was fully justified. For the good of the city and for the good of the Republican party every Republican within the city limits, entitled to a vote, should give it him and aid to elect him by a large majority.

## Barbarous Attempt to Grab Cuba.

Usually the people of this country do not look on information coming from foreign lands concerning the action of the government of the United States as having much bearing upon the matters under consideration. But when the journals of Russia accuse the United States of a "Barbarous attempt to grab Cuba" the accusation is entitled to some attention as voicing the feeling of Continental Europe.

To the Americans this looks a good deal like accusing others of being guilty of the same crime the accuser is guilty of. For years past Russia and other European powers have been encroaching upon Chinese territory, but fearing to make an actual invasion because of the unknown strength and fighting abilities of the children of the Flowery kingdom. When, however, Japan made a run across a stretch of the territory so long coveted without any serious opposition the stealing of land for mere possession's sake began in earnest. In this land grabbing race, Russia has been in the van guard. Premising their conclusions upon their own rapacity, European nations believe that America is actuated by the same motives in interfering in the Cuban question.

It is beyond the comprehension of Europe, that any country should willingly engage in war from a standpoint of humanity and justice. The American people understand that the United States will interfere in Cuba for the purpose of rescuing that island from a condition that has been intolerable, and for no other purpose. This country has no ulterior designs in the matter whatsoever. When the island has been freed the inhabitants will be allowed to form their own government, and care for themselves. If the island were offered to this country that offer will doubtless be declined, but at the same time other nations will be warned to keep hands off.

At present the barbarous attempt of this country consists in insisting upon the right to feed the starving Cubans. But this measure is recognized as only one of alleviation, there can be no permanent about it; Cuba can never be prosperous until Spain has abandoned the attempt to govern it. When that takes place the object of intervention will have been accomplished. The business this government has in Cuba is the business of humanity. If Europe does not know that, Europe is ignorant of the cardinal fact of the Cuban question.

## A Correction Asked.

"Special to the News."  
Springer, N. M., March 31.—The Republicans here feel very indignant over the cowardly course taken by the administration in the Cuban affair. They say it is a disgrace to their party and if the president has not the courage to act he should have sufficient respect for his party to resign.

Special Correspondence New Mexican.  
Springer, N. M., April 3, 1896.—The above appeared in a Denver paper. It does not represent the feeling of the Republicans nor Democrats. It is generally conceded that in these grave national questions, party lines are abolished. And thinking people admit, that knowing no more than is learned from the press reports, that all are willing to allow those who know all details in their true light, to deal with the national questions without criticism. The administration, these people believe, is better able to cope with the difficulty.

## SUICIDE OF J. W. ROBERTS.

Prominent Citizen of Las Vegas Joins the Silent Majority by His Own Deed.

John W. Roberts, superintendent of the street car service at Las Vegas, committed suicide on Friday morning under peculiarly distressing circumstances.

It appears that on the night before the tragedy, Mr. Roberts returned home suffering from temporary aberration of the mind. He informed his wife, says the Optic, that he had been grossly insulted and that it was his intention to return with his pistol and avenge the outrage put upon him. His wife persuaded him to remain at home, but though successful in this, she could not calm the excitement under which he labored. He retired to bed at one time; but soon got up again, persisting that he must go to the old town and avenge himself on the party who had maltreated him. One shot from his pistol went into the ceiling, causing his wife to flee from the room, so that no one was by when the fatal shot went crashing into the brain through the mouth. Death was instantaneous.

John W. Roberts was born in Danville, Pa., 48 years ago. At the age of 30 years he was married in Pueblo, Colo., to the wife who now survives him. Two boys, aged 17 and 14 years, are left as the comfort and support of the mother. Grif Roberts, of Las Vegas, is a brother, and Hannah Roberts, of Gallup, N. M., has been wired the sad news. The funeral took place from the family residence, near the Presbyterian church, at 2 p. m., Sunday, under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, of which organization the deceased was a member.

## MESILLA VALLEY FRUIT.

Considerable Damage Done to It By Recent Frosts.

From reliable sources, we learn that the recent frost, although doing considerable damage to the fruit, has not done the damage that was first thought. Calamities always breed exaggerated rumors and Jack Frost's capers bring no exception to the rule. Nearly, if not all of the late native peaches are killed, but the apples are safe as also are the plums. Grapes are not injured, while apricots are entirely destroyed. As usual, the frost has been playing its unaccountable pranks. It is reported that the peaches at the Ortega are all killed, while those at Mesilla Park have escaped unharmed. If the present cold weather continues the fruit will probably all be killed, an event which will be regarded by many orchardists as a blessing as it is only by this means that they expect the coming moth to be destroyed entirely.—Dona Ana County Republican.

## Sanitarium at Fort Stanton.

Senator Gallinger's bill to authorize the secretary of the Interior to issue a permit to the American Invalid society, of Boston, to occupy 160 acres of land on the abandoned Fort Stanton military reservation in New Mexico for a national sanitarium for the treatment of pulmonary diseases, passed the United States senate on last Friday.

## Mexican Central Rates.

The Mexican Central railway will place on sale from the 2nd to the 9th of April inclusive at El Paso and Ciudad Juarez, tickets to the City of Mexico and return at \$37.50, American money. Tickets good for 30 days from date of sale.

## It Sounded Like a Cow.

Fond Mother—Oh, Harry, baby can say "cow!" Say "cow," baby.  
Baby—Moo!  
Fond Mother—There! Isn't that too cute?—New York Tribune.

## Not in His Line.

Rastus—Look out dar, ma honey, o' I'll steal you!  
Dinah—Oh, I don't know! I ain't no chicken.—New York Journal.

## Pa Had One.

Willie—Say, pa, what's a floating debt?  
Pa—Our yacht, my son.—Chicago News.

## He Was Handicapped.

"Who is your favorite author?"  
"Pardon me, sir, but I am an author myself."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## And Then Have It Typewritten.

"I have understood," said the friendly critic, unfolding a voluminous manuscript, "that poets have a shrinking nature."

"I can testify to the truth of that," replied the bard.  
"Well, I don't want to impose on friendship. But it would be a great favor if you would shrink this up into about four stanzas before making me read it."—Washington Star.

## Might Be the Reason.

"Why did I not see you at the ball last evening?" asked the neighbor who liked to be disagreeable.

"Of course I cannot say positively," replied the little woman who had not been invited and who readily saw the motive back of the question, "but it is barely possible that it was because I wasn't there."—Chicago Post.

## Going to the Root of the Matter.

Student—I suppose, now, everything depends upon my having a clear idea of what I know?

Professor—There is only one thing more important.  
S.—And that is?  
P.—To have a clear idea of what you don't know.—Brooklyn Life.

## A Silver Wedding.

"Paw," asked the little boy, "what is a silver wedding?"

After thoughtfully stroking his magnificent beard the Populist answered: "A silver wedding is when a woman has been married 10 years to one man."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Necessity Knows No Law.

"One of the tallest men I ever knew was a Rhode Islander. He measured nearly seven feet in height."

"Perhaps he had to grow that way. There was no room for him to spread out."—Chicago Tribune.

## Breasting.

Jasper—Isn't it wonderful how a change of weather sometimes picks a man up?

Jumpings—It is, indeed. I have frequently noticed that in the cyclone belt.—New York Journal.

## THE NEED OF HAWAII

ENGINEER IN CHIEF MELVILLE'S ARGUMENT FOR ANNEXATION.

The Actual Necessity of Hawaii as a Flanking Position For Naval Vessels—Advantage of Pearl Harbor as an Impregnable Ocean Fortress.

Recent events in the history of lands bordering the Pacific ocean give added strength to the strategic reasons favoring the annexation of Hawaii which have existed almost since the United States was a nation.

Hawaii's unique advantages as a strategic point of prime importance have been set forth so ably and so often as to forbid their citation here. One or two objections raised by not a few non-technical critics may, however, be considered. Pearl harbor is 2,100 miles from our western coast, and Madeira is about the same distance from our eastern shore. The latter has little, if any, military value. Why, then, should Hawaii, parted by the same stretch of sea, exceed it in importance? The critics forget that the paramount worth of the Hawaiian group in war will lie, first, in the fact that the Pacific is so broad that its passage will exhaust the coal supply of a war vessel, making necessary a renewal at Honolulu, and, second, in the isolation of the group, with the absence of other land between it and our coast. If the Pacific were as narrow as the Atlantic, or if other islands intervened—as with Madeira—between our western shore and Hawaii, the strategic value of the latter would be largely reduced.

Again, it has been urged that if we shall take the group we shall but acquire territory to defend—an element not of strength, but of weakness, in war and one which will make necessary large additions to our fleet. Pearl harbor can be made an impregnable ocean fortress. It is true that one does not wage war with fortresses. It is also true, however, that they form vantage points from which a force may rally and under whose wing that force may



GEORGE W. MELVILLE.

supply and recruit for fresh attack. If Hawaii in naval conflict shall have no useful function in this, then it would seem that, through the wars of all time, the eager strife for the possession of fortresses, of guarded ports, of frontier outposts, has been false strategy, an error militarily.

As to the dread of the economist or of the altruist that annexation will require largely augmented naval strength it may be said that if an adequate force of the United States be stationed at Hawaii and its coast communications be properly guarded, an enemy from over sea would violate some of the cardinal principles of naval strategy and invite sure disaster in attacking our western shores without first blockading or defeating the Hawaiian squadron. The force at Pearl harbor should then form simply but the first line of defense. Then the seagoing ships "fit to lie in a line," with their torpedo auxiliaries, should be gathered to meet the first assault, leaving the coast guard to the reserve of torpedo craft and monitors stationed at fortified ports. The strength of the squadron at this mid-Pacific outpost should be doubtless sufficient to meet the enemy, but the force on the coast could be reduced.

Some misconception as to Hawaii's value in war seems to arise through a lack of appreciation of what steam has done in the reduction of ocean distances, measuring the latter in the time spent in traversing them. A clearer view may be obtained perhaps by referring this time to land travel. Admiral Colomb speaks of "the sea considered as territory over which military forces march."

Let us extend this expression somewhat and assume the ocean to be not a neutral plain, but a "No Man's Land," on which armies may maneuver. Napoleon gave his system of conducting a war as "to march 25 miles a day, to fight and then to camp in quiet." At 15 knots' speed a fleet could steam from Pearl harbor to San Francisco in less than six days. The emperor in that time would have marched his army 150 miles. If, then, we assume the sea to be a great land plain, we must locate Pearl harbor on that plain at about 150 miles from San Francisco, and to complete the parallel must make it practically impregnable and capable of sheltering 100,000 men. From this point of view Hawaii's remoteness would seem to be apparent rather than real. The men of this generation have added not a few stars to the blue field of our flag. As captains of industry or as toilers in its ranks they have so developed the resources of our wide land that after the wants of the greatest home market in the world are filled there remains of our products a surplus which in ever increasing variety and quantity forces its way into foreign markets. Shall not we, too, serve the greater republic that is to come, and in accepting the gift of the Hawaiian group not only make secure our western shore, but give the coming generations a firm grasp on the east—but for us almost untouched—trade of Pacific shores and islands?—George W. Melville, Engineer in Chief, U. S. N., in New York Tribune.

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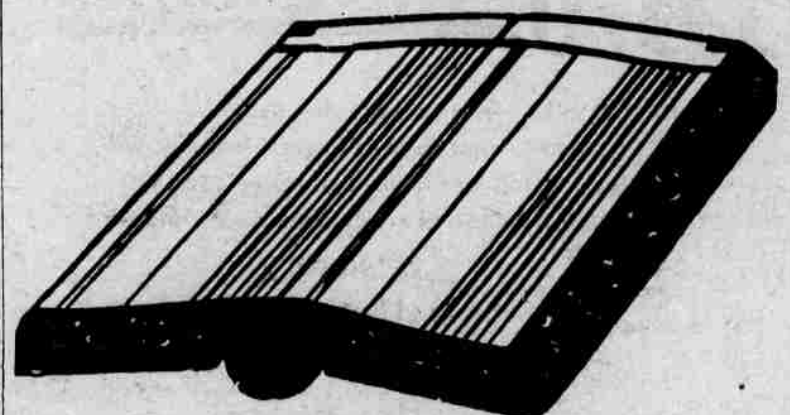
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